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## FATHER ASSISTANT

Father Assistant will arrive in the California Province toward the end of November. He intends to stop in for a short visit at every house in the Province.

He does not want to make any public appearances. The schools are not to give him any acad mies or welcomes.

Letters may reach Very Reverend Father Assistant at the following places:

Nov. 27-Dec. 2 — University of San Francisco.

Dec. 3-12 — Provincial's Residence, San Jose.

Dec. 13-20—Loyola High, Los Angeles.

Dec. 23-26—St. Joseph's, El Paso, Tex.

## ALMA COLLEGE

Forty-five Brothers were present for the gaudiosa in the Gold Room on the feast of St. Alphonsus.

In a 100% turnout at the Alma Precinct, Truman received 72 votes, Dewey 58, Wallace 0. (The voting is done in our tailor shop.)

Nov. 12. Mr. Wood was operated on for appendicitis at the Sisters' Hospital, Santa Cruz.

Nov. 13. Father George Dunne read his play, "Trial by Fire."

Nov. 15. Father tennant of the Brooklyn Diocese, representing the National Office of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, visited Alma, and spoke to the community on the work of the Society.

Nov. 17. Brother John M. McNamara arrived to take over the duties of Infirmarian. Brother McDermott will have charge of the Bindery, which it is hoped will eventually become a source of income for Alma College.

## SACRED HEART NOVITIATE

First Vows.

Oct. 23. Brothers Joseph and Edward Avila.

Oct. 31. Manuel Silveria.

Sept. 23-Nov. 6. Grape Season. The Novices picked for 23 days, until Nov. 2, when the Juniors took over for five days. The over-all total of boxes for the season was 35,000.

Oct. 18. Kaspar Jaeckel died. Many members of the Province will remember their old janitor, who passed away quietly in his 90th year.

Oct. 24. Fr. Wm. Deeney, who was transferred here from Santa Clara several months ago, died peacefully and without any apparent pain.

Oct. 24. A very fine rendition of Shakespeare's "Tempest" was staged by the Juniors under the able direction of Fr. Silva, S.J.

Oct. 29. Joseph Davis entered from Phoenix, Ariz., as a Coadjutor postulant.

Nov. 6-Dec. 7. Novices' Long Retreat.

Nov. 13. Most Reverend Leopold Brellinger, Bishop of Kinghsien, China, was at the Novitiate for dinner on the feast of St. Stanislaus. Frs. Bassett, Pius Moore, and Thomas Carroll accompanied him.

Nov. 16. The cement forms for the first floor of the new kitchen were poured.

## BELLARMINE

The two top ranking students on the President's Honor List at the University of Santa Clara are Bellarmine graduates.

By defeating Serra 27 to 12 Bellarmine won the Catholic League. By defeating Christian Brothers High School of Sacramento 26 to 12 Bellarmine compiled the best football record among the Catholic high schools of Northern California and can claim the championship of Northern California.

Messrs. Byrne, Costa and Fitch are entering their debating teams in four All-State contests in San Francisco, Oakland, Tracy, and Ripon.

The band has been playing at all the games. It is equipped with regular band

uniforms, that have been purchased from U. of Santa Clara.

The Sodality under Father Odou's direction is sponsoring many spiritual projects, such as the daily Rosary before the chapel during October, daily visits to Blessed Sacrament, daily Mass for each class during the year, spiritual bouquets for sick students. It sponsored a get-together social on Nov. 14th.

Nov. 10. The Dads' Club held its monthly meeting. Father Sugrue outlined the plans for the December Card Party and Bazaar.

Nov. 19. The annual Sophomore Oratorical Contest.

Nov. 21. Annual Communion and Breakfast for the Alumni under the direction of Fr. Corvi. A day of sports followed.

Nov. 23. The meeting of the Mothers' Guild was addressed by Father Flynn on the topic, "Your Son's Personality."

The school paper, "The Cardinal," under the direction of Mr. Drendel, has been granted a Charter in "Quill and Scroll," an International Honor Society for high school journalists.

Thirty new members have joined the Sanctuary Society, under the direction of Mr. Drendel. They serve most of the daily Masses.

The Junior Varsity football team, under the coaching of Messrs. Dodd and Byrne, has compiled a good record.

The Mothers' Guild organized a rummage sale on Nov. 12th and 13th for the benefit of the new school building.

Glass inclosed porches have been built at the entrances of the chapel and dining hall.

Father Varga from Czechoslovakia is now a member of the faculty. He studied theology in England.

Rosary is now being said daily during November for the recovery of Dan Britsch, who was seriously injured in an auto accident. The students voluntarily assemble at 12:45 each day. Due to the prayers of the students and the St. Ignatius Water that Father Frugoli brought to the boy, he is recovering better than the doctors expected.

Mr. Costa started a Glee Club with twenty members.

On the Feast of St. Stanislaus the residents of Kostka Hall had a special party. Father Rooney and Mr. Herrlich supervised the games and awarded the prizes.

Station KSJO broadcasted all of the Bellarmine games both at home and

away. It awarded prizes to the best player of each game.

Father Gruye's Radio Club has installed a new transmitter and is now ready to go on the air with regular amateur broadcasts.

The reporters of the daily papers have indicated that four of the Bellarmine players will be picked on the All-City team from the four city high schools.

Another new carpet for the chapel in Senior Hall has been obtained by Father Frugoli from friends in San Francisco.

## LOYOLA HIGH

Solemn ceremonies in tribute to the alumni of Loyola High School who gave their lives in both World Wars were held in the school stadium. The program was part of American Education Week observance, and featured a parade by school R.O.T.C. units before assembled students. Fr. James Kelly, former Navy chaplain, gave the dedication address. Fr. Edward D. McGinnis, former Army chaplain, gave the prayer. The ceremonies closed with the "Pledge of Allegiance" by the student body.

The Dads' Club sponsored an excursion to the St. Augustine game in San Diego. Four hundred fathers, mothers and students made the trip in a ten-car special train.

Fr. Rector addressed the Catholic Women's Club on the subject of Catholic Education.

The annual Hearst History Contest for Catholic Schools, held in the high school classrooms, was won by a student of Loyola High School.

A course for diocesan priests on the Encyclicals is conducted by the Industrial Relations Department of the University. Classes are held at the high school one afternoon each week.

On Nov. 2, Family Night was held by the Junior-Senior Society. Featured was a demonstration of Sodality meetings and projects. Admission charge was a can of tobacco to be given to the old men at Little Sisters of the Poor, for Thanksgiving. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

The Henry Welsh Guild will sponsor a Christmas party on December 9th.

Among our distinguished visitors during the past month were: Very Rev. Father Provincial, Father Socius, Father Carroll O'Sullivan, Father Rudolph, Father Fely, Father Zachary Maher, Father Bradstreet, Father O'Mara, Father Brolan and Father McCoy. Father McCoy is making his annual R treat here.



Requiem Mass for the father of one of the Seniors was offered in the Faculty Chapel. The members of the Senior class attended the Mass.

### LOYOLA UNIVERSITY

Oct. 20. Fr. Parrish delivered a lecture entitled "The Supernatural Life" to the Mothers' Club of Holy Family Parish.

Oct. 29. The new gym was blessed by Fr. Rector.

Oct. 30. Fr. Connolly attended the convention of the Western College Association at Berkeley.

Oct. 31-Nov. 14. Fr. White and Fr. Bradstreet conducted a mission at St. Joseph's in Pomona.

Nov. 4. Fr. Murray conducted a one-day retreat for St. John's Hospital Guild.

Nov. 4-5. Fr. Hynes attended the convention of the California Council of Teacher Education at Yosemite.

Nov. 9-10-11. Fr. Murray conducted the retreat at Marymount College.

Nov. 10. The University was examined by the committee appointed from Sacramento in response to the school's request for approval by the State Board of Education for granting of Secondary Credentials for teaching in California secondary schools. The results of the investigation will not be known until some time in December.

Nov. 13. Fr. Rector conducted a Day of Recollection for the wives of the lay professors and the office girls.

Nov. 15. Fr. Murray was guest speaker at the Annual Banquet of the First Methodists of Long Beach.

Nov. 22-23-24. Fr. Brolan conducted the retreat for the students of the University. Exercises were held in the new gym.

Fr. Murray conducted the Thanksgiving Week Retreat at El Retiro.

The Knights of Columbus give Fr. Rector a life membership in the Loyola Council.

### UNIVERSITY OF SANTA CLARA

Oct. 14. Bronco football team leaves for Loyola University in Los Angeles, accompanied by Fr. William Tobin, Athletic Moderator.

Oct. 20. Bronco football team leaves for Dallas, Texas, for game with Southern Methodist University. Fr. Rector accompanies them.

Oct. 22. Mr. John Costello, connected with the O'Connor & Moffatt Dry Goods

Co. of San Francisco, and a loyal supporter of the University, passed away in San Francisco.

Oct. 26. Members of the community present at Office of the Dead for Fr. William Deeney in St. Joseph's Church, San Jose. Last exhortation of Fr. John Lennon to the community.

Oct. 27. Members of the community attend burial services for Fr. Deeney in Santa Clara Cemetery.

Oct. 29. Fr. Joseph Stack, recuperating in the University Infirmary, leaves for Notre Dame Hospital, San Francisco.

Oct. 30. Fr. Rock, for the past month undergoing treatment in St. Mary's Hospital, S. F., returns to the University to resume his teaching duties.

Feast of St. Alphonsus Rodriguez. Lay brothers leave for gaudiosa in Alma College.

Nov. 4. The famous "Ship" on the University campus is receiving a new coat of paint.

Nov. 5. At 7:20 a.m., while at the Altar in the Domestic Chapel, celebrating Mass, Fr. John Lennon passed away just as he had consumed the Host of Sacrifice. During the course of the year he had suffered heart attacks, and had been resting at Santa Clara in compliance with the doctor's orders. He was sixty-two years of age, and had been interned in China during World War II.

Nov. 7. A public demonstration in honor of Our Lady of Fatima was held by the Portuguese people of Santa Clara and San Jose. The procession started at the entrance to our Mission Church and ended at the Five Wounds Church in East San Jose.

Nov. 8. Office of the Dead in Mission Church at 8 p.m., for Fr. John Lennon. Many visiting Fathers present.

Nov. 9. Low Mass at 10 a.m., for Fr. Lennon in Mission Church.

A conference of Santa Clara County Industry, Trade and Public Service was opened in Adobe Lodge at 2 p.m. Fr. Rector delivered the introductory speech.

Nov. 11. Armistice Day. The University Band and R.O.T.C. unit participate in the parade held in Santa Clara streets.

Fr. Copeland delivers invocation at services in San Jose.

Campus of the University invaded by midnight marauders from Moraga.

Nov. 12. Bonfire out on Alviso Road for St. Mary's Rally.

Nov. 13. Feast of St. Stanislaus Koska, S.J.

Raiders from Moraga strike again. Many captured and summarily castigated.

Nov. 14. Annual Little Big Game won by Broncos. Score 10 to 7. Many enthusiasts from the University attend.

Nov. 16. Solemn Requiem High Mass celebrated in Mission Church for deceased members of the Faculty and Alumni of the University.

### UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO

On November 3 Fr. Simpson left for Spokane where he will meet Rev. Fr. Assistant. Fr. will act as secretary during Rev. Fr. Assistant's visit of the houses on the coast.

The annual Memorial Mass of the University was held on November 4. Fr. W. Dunne celebrated the Mass, Fr. Mei was Deacon and Mr. Shanks Sub-deacon. The church was filled to capacity. Fr. Lyons preached the sermon.

Fr. Saunders was stricken with a heart attack on November 8. At present Fr. is improving steadily at St. Mary's Hospital.

Bishop Brellinger, Jesuit Bishop in China, left by plane on November 14. Fr. Murphy left for China on November 16.

The new downtown offices of the University were opened on November 15 on the first floor of the Hobart Building. They are very spacious and very practically arranged.

Martin Kalvelage, a former student of the High School and the University, left to enter the Trappists at Kentucky.

Fr. L. Burns attended the Pacific States sectional meeting of the American Classical Society held at Santa Clara.

In late November the "College Players" will present "The More the Merrier," a very delightful comedy.

Maj. Gen. John Russell Deane, U.S.A., Ret., for two years head of the American Military Mission to Russia, spoke on Soviet-American relations in early November to a capacity crowd in the College Auditorium.

The Loyola Guild Annual Day of Recollection was held on November 10. The day was conducted by Fr. Lyons.

The High School Fathers' Club sponsored a successful rally at St. Dominic's Hall the night before the S. I. Poly game.

In late October an outdoor Rosary before the Statue of the Blessed Mother was held during the R.O.T.C. parade on the field.

On November 16 the annual High School Faculty Banquet was held in the auditorium.

### MOUNT ST. MICHAELS

Oct. 21. Fr. Griva died. Fr. Rector's mother died on the same day.

Fr. LaVerdier, chaplain of the Newman Club at U.S.C., spent a few days at the Mount and addressed the Scholastics.

Bishop Gleeson of Alaska visited us for a few days and gave the Scholastics a general recreation about his recent Tour of Alaska.

Nov. 8-14. Very Rev. Fr. Assistant visited the Mount. At a dinner in his honor, Mr. Fontana a second yr. philosopher from Turin, extended greetings to Fr. Assistant in Italian.

Mr. Thomas Garrett, a 2nd yr. philosopher from Woodstock, is completing his studies here for the sake of his health.

Nov. 20. 3rd yr. Disputation. Ethics: defendant, Mr. Conklin (Ore.); objectors, Messrs. Garcia (Cal.) and Mahoney (Cal.). Natural Theology: defendant, Mr. E. L. Burke (Cal.); objectors, Messrs. Lucid (Ore.) and McCauley (Cal.). Dissertation on "Private Property," Mr. Elliott (Cal.); Science lecture on "Thermionic Tubes," Messrs. Conte (1st yr. Cal.) and Showalter (1st yr. Ore.).

### MANRESA HALL

At St. Gregory-by-the-Sea, a hostel run by the Sisters of the Love of Jesus, O.S.B. (converted Anglican nuns), Fr. Keane gave a Day of Recollection to the Young Catholic Women of Victoria, B. C.

Each year the sophomore history classes of Bellingham Public High School are taken to a Catholic church, a Protestant church and a Jewish synagogue to have the religion and its liturgy explained. Fr. Farraher conducted the tour in the Church of the Assumption this year.

### Hospital experiment:

Fr. Joseph Geary, Sacred Heart, Spokane.

Fr. Moore, Providence, Seattle.

Fr. Pettid, Vancouver, Wash.

Fr. Donohue, St. John's, Port Townsend.



### Retreats:

Fr. O'Gara, High school girls, St. Leo's, Tacoma.

Fr. O'Toole, High school girls, Visitation, Tacoma.

Fr. Dullea, Brothers, Mount St. Michaels.

Fr. Keane, High school freshmen, Gonzaga.

V. R. Fr. Assistant and Fr. Simpson arrived November 16th for a short visit.

In seeking some form of recreation for inside on cold nights, the Tertians have turned to the ancient game of charades.

### SODALITY

Directors, Moderators, and all those keenly interested in the work of the Sodality are most jubilant over the recent Constitutio Apostolica De Congregationibus Marianis of Pius XII. It is another manifestation of the deep and sincere esteem in which His Holiness holds this organization in honor of Our Lady and which is peculiar to the Society. The Rev. J. Roger Lyons of Sodality Headquarters announces that copies of this work are being sent to the Very Reverend Rectors, Sodality Directors, Pastors, Deans, Principals, scholastics, etc.

Fr. Gerald Fader of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in San Diego has done a good job in San Diego with the Nurses' Sodality—one of their projects is promoting the Sacred Heart Program. All is going well there and hope is entertained that soon a few stations in that diocese will carry the program. The Bishop was most happy to know of the work.

### SACRED HEART PROGRAM

An all-state advertising campaign for the program has been begun by Mr. George Porter, S.J., of Loyola High School, and he has received excellent help from Mr. Dare Morgan, S.J., in San Francisco. They will be working together on articles, leaflets, blurbs, etc. By January the campaign will be at its height. A few prisons are under way for the program through the good work of Mr. Charles W. Dullea, of the California Adult Authority. He is the father of Fr. Charles W. Dullea, S.J., who incidentally contacted about eight stations last summer. In all, about thirty stations in California are carry-

ing the Sacred Heart Program. The card used to advertise the stations in the Bay Area carrying the program lists the following stations:

#### AM Log.

KLOK-1170 — 1:15 P.M. Monday thru Friday, San Jose.

KSFO-560 — 7:00 A.M., Sunday, San Francisco.

KSJO-1590 — 7:30 A.M., Sunday, San Jose.

KTLM-1510 — 7:15 A.M., Sunday, San Rafael.

KROW-960—7:15 A.M., Sunday, Oakl'd.

#### FM Log

KSJO-FM-95.3—7:30 A.M., Sunday, San Jose.

KONG-FM-104.9—3:15 P.M., Thursday, Alameda.

Tell your friends to listen in and encourage others to listen.

### EPHPHETA SOCIETY

The Society for the Deaf so ably cared for through many years by Fr. John McChummsiskey is now under the direction of Fr. Frank Parrish of Loyola University, aided by Mr. George Porter of Loyola High School. . . . A Thanksgiving Day Banquet (the largest ever) was held at Blessed Sacrament. One hundred attended and many were non-Catholics. . . . Among those present was a teacher of the deaf and the official interpreter for Los Angeles County. She is a Baptist and had finished instructing the local Baptist minister for one year. So far, she is most discouraged since he cannot sign very well and is poor at interpretation. She thought Mr. Porter was the best she had seen in a long time. Two of the deaf are taking instructions and about three more are on the way.

### VARIA

On All Saints Day the community of Carroll House took a tour to various Civil War shrines. The community first went to Frederick, Md., the site of the early Jesuit Novitiate in this Province. We then visited the tomb of Roger B. Taney, fifth Chief Justice of the U. S., and a Catholic. From Frederick, the tour took us to Harper's Ferry to see the Fort of John Brown, then on to see the Antietam battlefield. After a short visit to the Maryland Province villa, we went on to Gettysburg. There we visited many of the famous memorials erected in honor of the various Southern and Northern generals and armies.

Several members of the community also had the opportunity to visit Woodstock, and to see Loyola High and Loyola College of Baltimore.

Fr Finnegan helped in the organization of the Catholic University's registration program, a system much improved over last year. He also aided in the Freshman orientation program.

Bishop-elect Flannery of New York is the cousin of a scholastic studying here at Carroll House, Mr. Canavan, a N. Y. scholastic.

Manresa Retreat House at Azusa has a new telephone number. It is Fleetwood 41516.

Fr. Michael Henaghan is still in Saint Mary's Hospital in San Francisco, where he is recovering from his very recent operation.

Unable to return to China for the time, Fr. James Kearney is temporarily stationed at Manresa Retreat House in Azusa, where he replaced Fr. John McCummiskey, who has gone to Santa Clara to rest for some weeks because of his poor health. Fr. Richard Meagher is helping out at St. Mary's Church in San Jose.

Fr. John Lipman returned safely from China on November 19, and is now at the University of San Francisco.

Fr. Edward Murphy left by air for China on November 16.

Phelan Park closed up for the winter on Wednesday, December 1. Fr. Falvey has already been assigned to U.S.F.; Fr. Walsh will be at Alma. The Procurator of Alma, as in the past, will have the care of the Villa in the off season.

### YEAR-END MINISTERIA

#### 8-Day Retreat

Nov. 29-Dec. 8—Discalced Carmelites, Sacramento, Fr. Cornelius Deeney. Tridua.

St. Luke's Hospital, Pasadena, Fr. Karl Von der Ahe.

St. Joseph Academy, Sacramento, Fr. Walshe Murray.

Mercy Hospital, Sacramento, Fr. Wilfred Crowley.

Convent of Mercy, Auburn, Fr. James Corbett.

Mercy Hospital, Redding, Fr. Frank Parrish.

Convent of the Sacred Heart, S. F., Fr. Daniel Kelleher.

Holy Names Central High, Oakland, Fr. Arthur Spearman.

Sisters of Mercy, Burlingame, Fr. Zachheus Maher.

College of the Holy Names, Oakland, Fr. Ivan Fabris.

St. Cecelia's Convent, S. F., Fr. Wallace Austin.

St. Peter's Convent, S. F., Fr. Daniel Bassett.

Notre Dame Hospital, S. F., Fr. Carroll O'Sullivan.

Ursuline Convent, Santa Rosa, Fr. John Bain.

Ursuline Convent, S. F., Fr. Francis Harrington.

St. Joseph's Military Acad., Belmont, Fr. Wm. McIntosh.

St. Mary's Hospital, S. F., Fr. John Coleman.

St. Anselm's, San Anselmo, Fr. Cornelius O'Mara.

St. Joseph's, S. F., Fr. Raymond Buckley.

St. Monica's, S. F., Fr. John Brolan.

St. Agnes, S. F., Fr. John Brolan.

St. Joseph Military Academy, Boys, Belmont, Fr. Daniel Kelleher.

### Day of Recollection—Dec. 31.

Notre Dame, Saratoga, Fr. Jos. Pociask.

Notre Dame, Alameda, Fr. John Preston.

### DEATHS OF OURS

Nov. 6. Father John A. Lennon died while saying Mass just after receiving the Sacred Host.

### RECENT DEATHS

Mother of Brother Joseph Connolly.

Step-father of Mr. Theo. Mackin.

Father of Father Henri Charvet.

EXIVIT: Mr. John J. Pauson, 3rd year Regent.